

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: IMAGE COMMUNICATION APPARATUS, IMAGE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM  
AND IMAGE COMMUNICATION METHOD

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to and including September 4, 2007, September 1, 2 and 3, 2007 being holidays, for responding to the Office Action mailed March 1, 2007. A Response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

☐ A check in the amount of \_\_\_ is enclosed herewith.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (**Billing No. 209976.0009**) as noted below.

☒ Extension fee in the amount of **\$1,020.00**.

☒ Any deficiencies or overpayments in the above-calculated fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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